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The New York courts have declared the execution law constitutional.

The brotherhood locomotive engineers are in session in Denver this week.

A new paper is about to be started at Eddy, the county seat of Eddy county by Messrs. Brown & Rule, of the El Paso Herald. There is a good opening there for a paper and the venture will undoubtedly be a profitable one.

The president has appointed Alexander H. Dryden as postmaster at Carlisle, vice J. Henry Longmaid, resigned. Mr. Longmaid has been trying for nearly a year to get out of the office as he agreed with Mr. Clark that a democrat should not be forced to hold office under a republican administration. Mr. Longmaid informed the LIBERAL that one of his chief reasons for going to Montana was to get where a democratic vote would count.

JAMES A. SPRADLING, president of the New Mexican printing company, territorial printer, and receiver of the Santa Fe land office, died suddenly Tuesday, from a stroke of paralysis with which he was attacked Sunday. Mr. Spradling was an energetic citizen and his death will be deplored all through the territory, and a wide circle of personal friends will mourn his loss. At the time of his death his wife was visiting at Springfield, Missouri.

NEW MEXICO'S bonds, to the amount of \$100,000 were negotiated last week at 2 1/2 per cent. premium. This is largely due to the excellent financial bill for which the territory has to thank Hon. Pedro Perea, of Bernalillo.—San Marcial Reporter.

Yes, thanks for introducing it! The author of the financial measure is well known, and he doesn't reside within the precincts of Bernalillo county, either.—Optic.

What is the author's name?

The people of the great southwest, especially of that portion lying west of the Rio Grande and south of the Burro mountains, look to El Paso as the head center of fashion, the fountain from which the truly correct, a la mode etiquette emanates. A new fashion in wedding stationery has been adopted by the classic 400 of the border town. As it cuts into the perquisites of the job printer the papers of the town have not mentioned it, but as the LIBERAL has no job printing attachment it has no hesitancy in informing those who contemplate matrimony of the latest dictates of frontier fashion. It consists simply in having the wedding invitations printed on a hectograph.

ANY person desiring to secure a band of Apache Indians as neighbors would do well to correspond with Mr. Secretary Proctor of the war department. He has been informed that the health of Geronimo and his comrades is suffering in Florida and so contemplates removing them to a middle climate. North Carolina was thought to be a good state in which to plant Indians, but the governor of North Carolina is reported to have recommended that the secretary's own state of Vermont be favored with the sun-burned children of the cactus plains. As Vermont is not hungry and thirsting for the honor of their presence, other states are free to bid for those expert hair-lifters. The opportunity is an excellent one for any person who may happen to be in need of a few dozen untutored red men.—Chicago News.

### MINING MATTERS.

Reports from Various Camps—Items of General Interest to Miners.

The latest quotations are: Silver 93; copper 10.90; lead 3.90.

Wm. K. Smith left on Saturday for New York on important business which will probably be of value to the Hachita mining district.

H. S. Sherrard, who recently owned most of Gold Hill, is in San Diego, California. Parties who hold his dishonored checks would like to see him in New Mexico.

A new mining district has been opened in Chihuahua about 94 miles south of Deming and twelve miles from the line in the Sierra de Retar. Some very rich silver ore has been brought into Deming from this district and the prospectors declare there are some immense prospects there.

Bennett and Chamberlain are opening up their newly discovered coal mine, situated about two and one-half miles north of town. The shaft is down 25 feet, displaying a 16-inch vein of canal coal of good

quality. Messrs Bennett and Chamberlain have a force of three or four men at work developing the property.—Enterprise.

The St. Louis gentlemen who have been engaged in the Bouie Jean suit finished taking testimony on Tuesday and returned home. They took a large amount of testimony and both sides are confident of winning.

A prospector returning from the southeastern slope of the Hachita's, brought in some very fine silver ore. It is probable that arrangements will be perfected, looking to extended development of this region of the country.—Enterprise.

The owner of the Black Range has discovered that the hull of the black walnut is the best fuel in the world for sharpening picks and drills, making a much better fire than any soft coal. A quart of them on the forge is equal to a half barrel of coal.

Mr. Ed. O. Smith returned last Saturday from the mica mines below Maricopa, owned by himself, H. V. Jackson and J. P. Gabriel, bringing a quantity of good specimens of that mineral. They have seventeen full claims located and the deposit is large and apparently unlimited. The specimens are all from the surface, and they show easy cleavage but are somewhat stained from long exposure to the weather. Messrs. J. M. Ochoa and J. P. Gabriel will go to St. Louis in a week or two for the purpose of interesting capital in the development of these mines. Appearances surely indicate that they have valuable properties and it is hoped that further development will bring them a full realization of their most sanguine expectations.—Florence Enterprise.

The new strike at Carlisle made by R. T. Bailey, mention of which was made last week, bids fair to be one of the most important in the southern portion of the territory. The ledge is an immense one, some 40 or 50 feet wide, of quartzite, with well defined walls of porphyry. The work is not deep yet as they have had time to go down only twelve feet, but at that depth they have four feet of solid mineral which assays \$200, mostly in silver, although it carries some gold. The most important thing, however, is that the mineral has been traced for 4,500 feet and besides Bailey's claim John Eply and John Crane have each located a full claim, and in the shafts they have started they find the same ore. The ore is sulphurets and sulphides of silver with some brittle silver. If the ore body goes down Carlisle is but in its infancy.

This morning Charlie App, Jim Miller, Captain Amos M. Horner, Harry Brandt, C. D. Whitcomb, John Hart and Tom Tannehill, started for the Mogollons on a hunting trip, by a unanimous vote Bruce will not go. They calculate to be gone about three weeks and intend to kill every head of game in the mountains. They have made arrangements for cold storage for their game and will supply the markets of the southwest during the coming winter. The LIBERAL has contracted for a Thanksgiving dinner of bear and wild turkey.

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